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# Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments

## Appointment of members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal

## Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. At its 9th plenary meeting, on 11 September 2000, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its fifty-fifth session the item entitled "Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments: appointment of members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal".

2. At its 20th meeting, on 3 November 2000, the Fifth Committee had before it a note by the Secretary-General (A/55/105) concerning the vacancies in the membership of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal that will occur as a result of the expiration of the term of office of three of its members on 31 December 2000.

3. The Fifth Committee also had before it a note by the Secretary-General (A/C.5/55/8) containing the names of three persons nominated by their respective Governments for appointment to the Administrative Tribunal for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2001.

4. At the same meeting, the Committee decided, by acclamation, to recommend to the General Assembly that it appoint Omer Yousif Bireedo (Sudan), Spyridon Flogaitis (Greece) and Brigitte Stern (France) as members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2001.

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## Recommendation of the Fifth Committee

5. The Fifth Committee recommends that the General Assembly appoint the following persons as members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2001:

Mr. Omer Yousif Bireedo (Sudan)

Mr. Spyridon Flogaitis (Greece)

Ms. Brigitte Stern (France)